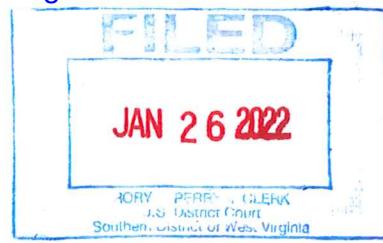


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA
CHARLESTON GRAND JURY 2021
JANUARY 25, 2022 SESSION



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CRIMINAL NO. 3:22-cr-00023
18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(1)(A)

WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHHEY

I N D I C T M E N T

The Grand Jury Charges:

COUNT ONE

1. On or about February 14, 2020, at or near Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia, and within the Southern District of West Virginia, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHHEY acquired a Glock, Model 27, .40 caliber pistol from Jewelry Gold and Pawn, a licensed dealer in firearms.

2. In connection with the acquisition of the aforesaid firearm, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHHEY did knowingly make a false and fictitious oral and written statement by certifying that she was the transferee of the firearm, when in fact, as defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHHEY there and then well knew, she was not the true transferee of the firearm.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(a)(1)(A).

COUNT TWO

1. On or about April 13, 2020, at or near Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia, and within the Southern District of West Virginia, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY acquired a Ruger AR556 .300 pistol from Freedom Gun and Pawn, a licensed dealer in firearms.

2. In connection with the acquisition of the aforesaid firearm, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY did knowingly make a false and fictitious oral and written statement by certifying that she was the transferee of the firearm, when in fact, as defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY there and then well knew, she was not the true transferee of the firearm.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(a)(1)(A).

COUNT THREE

1. On or about April 14, 2020, at or near Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia, and within the Southern District of West Virginia, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY acquired a Century Arms 7.62 x 39 pistol from Freedom Gun and Pawn, a licensed dealer in firearms.

2. In connection with the acquisition of the aforesaid firearm, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY did knowingly make a false and fictitious oral and written statement by certifying that she was the transferee of the firearm, when in fact, as defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY there and then well knew, she was not the true transferee of the firearm.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(a)(1)(A).

COUNT FOUR

1. On or about July 1, 2020, at or near Huntington, Cabell County, West Virginia, and within the Southern District of West Virginia, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY acquired a Taurus Model PT111, G2A 9 mm pistol from Tri-State Pawn and Jewelry of West Virginia. a licensed dealer in firearms.

2. In connection with the acquisition of the aforesaid firearm, defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY did knowingly make a false and fictitious oral and written statement by certifying that she was the transferee of the firearm, when in fact, as defendant WHITNEY KATHLYN HERSHY there and then well knew, she was not the true transferee of the firearm.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(a) (1) (A) .

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